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(Reader's Service to the China Mail)

EMPIRE TRADE

OCEAN FREIGHTS AND FACILITIES

SUGGESTIONS SOUGHT

LONDON, July 28.

The Board of Trade announce that the Imperial Shipping Committee is prepared to receive before January 1 suggestions from any persons or bodies in the Empire regarding ocean freights and facilities, and conditions in inter-Imperial trade.

GENERAL DYER

PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTIONS RAISED

LONDON, July 28.

In the House of Commons, replying to Major Mackenzie Wood with regard to public subscriptions being raised on behalf of General Dyer, Mr. Winston Churchill said that the King's Regulations forbade the acceptance of such a present but as General Dyer had now applied to retire he did not propose to take any action.

POLAND SURPRISED

BOLSHEVIKS ATTACK IN SPITE OF ARMISTICE

VIOLENT FIGHTING

WARSAW, July 28.

A communiqué states that in spite of the acceptance of the Polish armistice proposal, the Bolsheviks resumed violent attacks on the whole front, capturing various points eastward of the Galician frontier and advancing 20 kilometres southwards of Grodno.

BOLSHEVIKS CROSSING LINE DEFINED AT SPA.

BERLIN, July 28.

A Warsaw wireless message states that the Bolsheviks have captured Prusk and are crossing the line defined as the Spa Conference's armistice proposal.

A message from Berlin states that the Russian commanders were disinclined to cease hostilities in accordance with the Soviet's orders owing to the prevalence of Tsarist officers.

LURE OF POWER

The leading Russian Nationalists, failing to win Allied help, have established an organisation in Berlin endeavouring to secure the co-operation of the German reactionaries, who welcome the alliance, hoping thereby to regain power and acquire political and economic predominance in Russia.

TO ESTABLISH BOLSHEVIK REPUBLIC

COPENHAGEN, July 28.

A Magdeburg paper asserts that an agreement has been signed between the Soviet, the German Independent Socialists, and the Spartacists providing for the proclamation of a Bolshevik republic in Königsberg, Danzig, Breslau, and other towns immediately the Soviet's troops have crossed the frontier, also the formation of a Red German army under the Russian General Tontschefi, and the establishment of revolutionary tribunals, communist municipal commissions, and the nationalisation of industry, the Russian army maintaining order and protecting the proletariat.

INCREASED RAILWAY FARES

NEW RATES START EARLY IN AUGUST.

LONDON, July 28.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar Law announced that the Government had accepted all the recommendations of the railway rates committee except with regard to workmen's fares the increase of which would be further considered. The increased fares operate from August 6, except the workmen's which operate from September 1.

LEAGUE COUNCIL MEETING

IMPORTANT SUBJECTS TO BE DISCUSSED

BLOCKADE POWERS

LONDON, July 28.

The Secretariat of the League of Nations announces that the subjects to be discussed at the meeting of the Council at San Sebastian on July 30 will include the co-ordination of measures for applying blockade as a weapon of the League, the creation of an international permanent health organisation, the best methods of applying the dispositions of the covenant in connection with the administration of the ex-German overseas possessions by mandatory powers, the relations between the Council and the Assembly of the League, the claim from the Government of India for membership, and the Executive committee of the international labour office.

TAXATION LIMIT REACHED

GOVERNMENT ACCUSED OF EXTRAVAGANCE

"IGNORABLE AND FOOLISH"

LONDON, July 28.

In the House of Commons, on the third reading of the Finance Bill, Mr. Asquith contended that the wasteful and extravagant expenditure was more attributable to Government policy than to the administration. He cited the example of Mesopotamia where the estimates were recently largely reduced but the forces are now being increased.

Mr. Austen Chamberlain agreed that Britain had about reached the limit of her taxable capacity. He pointed out that the expenditure in 1918 and 1919 was £34,000,000, and £46,000,000. It was reduced to £21,060,000 last year, and to £12,820,000 this year. He believed it to be an ignoble and foolish policy to give up all care for Mesopotamia and Palestine and abandon our responsibilities elsewhere. We purchased neither security nor economy thereby. The Government had gone as near to rationing the Army, Navy, and Air Force as was possible in a world where we were not masters of events.

The Bill passed the third reading.

THE DOLLAR

To-day's closing rate 4/0½
To-day's opening rate 4/0½

EARLIER TELEGRAMS

(Reader's Service to the China Mail)

THE BOULOGNE CONFERENCE

LONDON, July 28th.
The British Note to the Soviet regarding the future of Poland was drafted this afternoon at Boulogne according to Mr. Lloyd George's instructions. Mr. Millerand did not accept the note, provided that the conference did not accept recognition of the Soviet. The Note was signed on behalf of Great Britain alone. It will be submitted to America and Italy before despatch to Moscow.

The French are sceptical of the immutability of the conference and of the conference being confined to Poland but, if arranged, they are determined not to be drawn to other paths. France is willing to waive the question of the repudiation of the Russian Debt and the cessation of the Soviet propaganda until the Russo-Polish question is settled.

It is believed that if the Soviet displays sincerity in the Polish preliminaries, the negotiations may be widened.

The Premiers did not discuss the surrender of General Wrangel.

Lithuania has sent an ultimatum to the Soviet, owing to the failure of the Bolsheviks to evacuate Vilna.

MEXICAN RIDDLE

EAGLE Pass (Texas), July 27th.
General Villa's arrival at Sabina was followed by a sharp encounter with small Government forces. It is reported that Villa's forces number 400. Villa is about to start on the war-path unless his surrender on his terms is accepted by the Huerta Government.

It is stated that Villa has seized the American brewer Mr. Haegelin, whom he is holding for ransom.

MEXICO CITY, July 27th.
A Government bulletin states that Villa telegraphed to General Huerta offering his surrender unconditionally. The Government instructed him to report himself to General Martínez and repair the railway. Villa replied that the railway was repaired, signing himself "Affectionately, Francisco Villa."

All the trains are now running regularly northward.

NEGRO PUGILIST

NEWARK, July 27th.
Harry Wells, the negro heavy-weight boxer, knocked out Fred Fulton in the third round in a 12-round contest.

IN SINGAPORE

PROHIBITIVE LIVING EXPENSES

WORST PLACE IN WIDE WORLD

A well-known shipping man who reached Brisbane by the steamer "Mataram" from Singapore declared that Singapore was the worst place in the wide world to live in at present. He explained that living expenses were prohibitive. The absolute minimum hotel rates averaged 15 dollars a day, the dollar having a fixed value of 25.4d. Even at those rates accommodation was difficult to obtain, and at the best could only be described as second class. Commenting generally upon affairs in the Straits Settlements, he stated that the market was down to nothing, that was to say, it was equal to the normal pre-war market. When the "Mataram" left Singapore ten days ago it was quoted at 106 cents and rubber at 15 cents less than a fortnight previously. He attributed the falling off to the influence of Japanese financiers who were fighting strongly for a forward position in the Singapore market. Singapore so far has practically escaped the epidemic of strikes. One was instituted recently but had no chance from the outset and fizzled out in two days. Generally speaking, he concluded that the conditions in the East can be regarded as satisfactory, and will further improve.

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Oh, Philippines, Isles of my dreams,
I greet you from our rocky shores!
A Minstrel sings beside our streams
And roams with a heart that adores.

My yearning to see you is great,
And admire your beauties unaided;
I know not if you will greet
"Dahuyas" when your shores I behold.

But time will come when I will be
In Philippines, where stars are dreams;
I will sing and fare on the sea,
When the moonbeam in' my heart gleams.

Far from you I touch the lyre's chord,
And like the birds I sing at heart;
With your Minstrels I left the gourd
To give you greetings from my heart!

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Hongkong, July 28.

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Public Auctions

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, July 31, 1920, commencing at 11 a.m. at Holt's Wharf, Kowloon. (For account of the concerned) 525 Boxes Tin Plates. Terms—Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT BROS., Auctioneers. Hongkong, July 28, 1920.

on TUESDAY, August 3, 1920, commencing at 2.30 p.m. at No. 18, Middle Road, Kowloon.

A Quantity of Valuable Household Furniture, Comprising—

Teak batman, blackwood music cabinet, stools & topys, Chesterfield couches & armchairs, curved cherry-wood card table, teak desk & bookcases, silk embroidered pictures, tapestry curtains, carpets, rug, electric fittings, etc., etc.

Teak extension dining table & chairs, teak sideboard, teak dinner wagon, teak ice chests, tea tables, teak flower stands, dinner service, etc., etc.

Double & single teak & iron bedsteads, double & single teak washstands, teak dressing tables, teak chest of drawers, enamelled bathes, paven: basins, etc., etc.

Also Pantry & Kitchen Requisites, rd.

1 Victoria with cabinet & 40 records, 1 Singer's Sewing Machine with electrical attachment.

1 Arivay with 11 canaries. N. B. Most of the above furniture were made by Messrs. Wm. Powell Ltd. On view from Monday, the 2nd August.

Catalogue will be issued. Terms: Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT BROS., Auctioneers. Hongkong, July 23, 1920.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

S. S. "WING HANG"

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE STEAMSHIP "WING HANG" as she lies near Shantung-pu in the Harbour of Hongkong.

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THE Valuable Household Furniture,
etc., etc.,
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HALL—Blackwood Side Tables,
Hallstand, Clairs Brass Ornaments,
etc.

DRAWING ROOM—Upholstered
Sofa and Arm-chairs made by Lane,
Crawford & Co., (good as new); heavy
Pile Carpets & Rugs, Blackwood Cabrioles,
Desk, Chairs, Stands, &c., Pictures
and Engravings, curtains, etc.

DINING ROOM—Fumed Teakwood
Mirror back Sideboard, Extension Dining
Table and chairs, cabinets, &c.,
etc., made by Lane, Crawford & Co.,
and good as new. Dinner Service, Glass
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BEDROOMS—White enamelled Twin
Beds, large and small Wardrobes,
Tricot, Tables, Chest-of-drawers, &c.,
including Stained Teakwood, Boudoir Suite,
all made by Lane, Crawford &
Co., Axminster Carpets and Rugs,
Curtains and Pictures.

HOT ROOM—Cupboards, etc., including
Camphorwood Wardrobe and
chest-of-drawers, Bath Room, Pantry
and Kitchen Utensils,

Also

Electric Fans and Radiators, Tennis
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Pot Fine Maidens Hair Fern, Pot Plants,
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And

Two "Milner" Combination Fire
Resisting Safes.
(Full Particulars from Catalogue).
On view from Monday 2nd August.

Terms:—Cash:
HUGHES & HOUGH,
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Hongkong, July 23, 1920.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,
(on account of the concerned),
on

WEDNESDAY,
August 4, 1920, commencing at
2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms,
No. 8, Des Voeux Road, Corner of
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TEAKWOOD AND BLACKWOOD FURNITURE, BRASS AND BRASS-MOUNTED BEDSTEADS, TEAKWOOD TWIN BEDSTEADS, CARPETS, &c., &c., comprising:

Chippendale Sofas, Arm-chairs (new),
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Twin Bedsteads, large and small Wardrobes
Drawing Tables, and Chairs, Wash-
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boards, Dining Wagons, Extension Dining
Tables and Chairs, etc., Dinner
Service, Cutlery, and Glass Ware,
Cooking Stoves, Ovens, etc., Bath
Room Utensils, Electro-Plated Ware,
Electric Lighting Lamps and Fans,
Blackwood and Teakwood Screens, a
quantity of Blackwood Furniture, Side
Tables, Chairs, Cabinets, Pictures,
Carpet, new and second-hand,
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INTIMATIONS.

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PUBLIC HOLIDAY

THIS Office will be open for all par-
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MONDAY, the 2nd August, 1920.

Licensed Warehouses will be
entirely CLOSED on that day.
C. W. BECKWITH,
Superintendent,
Imports and Exports.
Hongkong, July 23, 1920.

BANK HOLIDAY.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 5
of 1912, the EXCHANGE BANKS
will be CLOSED for the Transaction of
PUBLIC BUSINESS on MONDAY,
the 2nd August, 1920.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO
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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A INTERIM DIVIDEND OF ONE
DOLLAR per Share for the six
months ending 30th June, 1920, will be
PAYABLE on TUESDAY, August 10th,
on which date Dividend Warrants may
be obtained on application at the Com-
pany's Office.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the
Company will be CLOSED from TUES-
DAY, August 3rd to TUESDAY,
August 10th, both days inclusive,
during which period no Transfer of
Shares can be Registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.
JOHN ARNOLD,
Secretary.

Hongkong, July 17, 1920.

HONGKONG TRAMWAY COMPANY,
LIMITED.

(Incorporated in the United Kingdom)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
AN INTERIM DIVIDEND OF
NINE PENCE per Share on account of
the year 1920, has been declared.

The DIVIDEND will be payable on
and after WEDNESDAY, the 25th day
of August 1920, to Shareholders on the
Register on TUESDAY, the 10th day of
August 1920, and will be paid to
Shareholders on the Colonial (Hongkong)
Register at the exchange rate of 38 per
Dollar.

By Order of the Board,
R. J. WILTON,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, July 26, 1920.

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WE have installed an additional
TELEPHONE and clients can
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2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms,
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A Small Consignment of
WHITE GOODS, &c., &c.,
Comprising:—

Pillow Cases, White Satin Quilts,
Turkish Towels, Bath Towels, Bath
Sheets, Double Bed Sheets, Battenberg
and Drawnwork Bedspreads, Table
Covers, Crochet and Drawnwork
Dollies, Table Cloths, Linen Damask
Serviettes,

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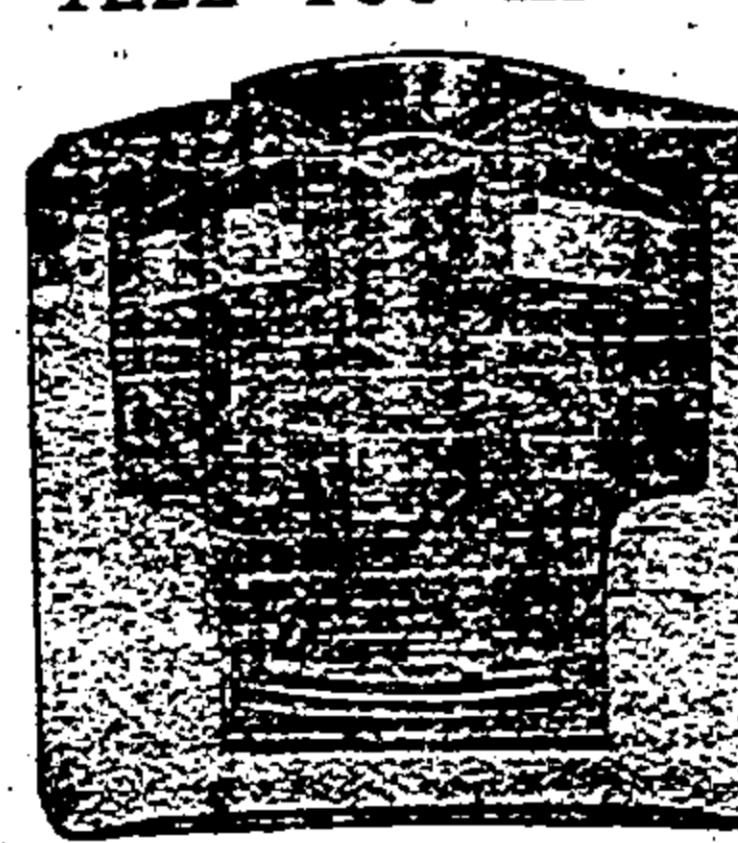
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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JULY 30, 1920.

PROGRESS?

Man's idea of progress cannot be separated from nature's idea of adaptation. It means making life more comfortable, perfecting the conditions, paring away the disgreables. Arrived at this stage of thought, we must take cognizance of "more than one point" of view.

To that eye of faith which believes in the moral perfeccibility of man, and declares that this life is only a preparation for another, pre-ordained and better, human efforts toward other forms of progress, social amelioration and the like, should seem impertinent. Why mitigate the rigour of a test, and so make it less a test? Why dismiss those teachers in a preparatory school—the hardships and trials of this life—and so make the probation for the next less satisfactory? We do not know why men entertain mutually exclusive ideas. Presumably they require an injection of the germ of analysis: the serum of savvy.

Then there is the pseudoscientific perception of evolutional progress, as a movement toward a perfection that must ultimately come automatically and in accordance with law, we neither helping nor hindering. That is not the scientific idea of evolution. That is not true Darwinism, which recognizes no plan or scheme, but merely the visible facts of a process. Moreover, it is decidedly not a morally wholesome belief, since it must (but for that same chronic inconsistency of man) tend toward a desistance of all effort, and so to stagnation. Adaptation requires effort.

Adaptation is an idea that embraces more than the adaptation of the individual to an unchangeable environment. It includes the adaptation of the environment to man, which in some ways man has actually achieved, and is still busily attempting. In either case we get something, we are obliged to call progress. The Pacific islander becomes a perfect swimmer; the Hollander builds great sea dykes; both are modes of meeting the embarrassment of too much sea. The great cause of adaptation was al-

ways eliminated, responsible for wonderful changes of habit in man, who could not change the climates to suit themselves. To a comparatively infinitesimal extent, and tentatively, man now essays to modify climate, by encouraging rainfall, for instance. As his understanding of the conditions grows, he may yet be able to do more.

Physically, the aspect which naturally comes first, we can hardly claim that man has progressed very far, if at all. He is certainly not, with all his study of disease, healthier in the mass than his earlier progenitors. He is less robust, less agile. His teeth are going. His dodges and devices in the name of progress, such as cooking and clothes and machinery, have helped him to progress mentally, in curing, but also to retrogress in health. Progress has meant new ailments, with which he must now cope.

Intellectually his progress could be exaggerated. So far back as reflected vestiges are traceable, we find a human mentality quite capable of any of our modern stunts, given the material means, and accidental discoveries that have favoured and helped our thinkers. Still, on the whole, we seem entitled to register an appreciable progress in the powers of the brain. Not, general enough, not yet sufficiently widespread, but extending as generation succeeds generation. This in any case was inevitable, experience being the best teacher and perfection (or what stands for it) coming by practice.

Morally, the progress of mankind beyond historic knowledge is less certain. Forms have changed; but the proportions of virtue and of vice in the individual appear to have remained fairly constant, whether we contemplate the ancient Greek philosopher or the modern patriot. Civilization has not eradicated the barbaric passions, emotions, and instincts, nor has it evolved anything adequately to curb them and keep them in check.

All our social organizations are quite obviously still in the experimental stage, and we are no further in this department than the people of the dead races and dominions of whom we have records. While as-for individuals, we get very little more out of life, in some ways much less, than our furtive forefathers did. On the whole, where we may feel obliged to admit signs of progress, we may modify the admission by stating that the progress seems to have been in a circle. We have advanced peripherally, but are still as near the fixed leg of the compass as when we started on our round.

ADVERSARIA.

The football season is FOOTBALL less further away than MATTERS: it was. Has anything been done about providing sufficient grounds? This is not a tuppenny-ha penny matter. It affects so many people that no apology is needed for giving it full attention. We have had two references to it in the off-season, because that is the time to get busy, making ready for the next. Ask anybody interested in the League, or in football generally—they all tell the same tale, that more grounds are required. Our solution was extra grounds on the upper or eastern portion of the Happy Valley, removing the golf bunkers for the purpose. Our argument was that few golfers use this place, and that they have other places. We also noted the danger of golf to the public in this part. One man had his eye knocked out. The idea of sending footballers over to the New Territory is ridiculous.

Last season, there were 42 teams in the Second Division and six in the First—18 teams all with their own following, and there are only three grounds at Happy Valley. By using these twice, at 2.30 and 4.15, twelve of the teams were able to play. Six were out of it. Six League teams had to stand down. Next season, owing to the bigger naval and military contingents, the number of teams will be more. The need should really be seen to at once. The Yuenmu ground is useless, indeed, too dangerous to play on, and Kowloon must have a ground. That should be easy, provided there is goodwill on the part of the Government.

The Mercantile, SESTAMENT, Maritime Service Association Reporter is shocked at the news that the famous collier steamer "River Clyde," which made such an immortal page in history at Gallipoli on April 25, 1915, has been sold to Spanish owners for £11,500. The treasury gains that, but the nation loses a national relic and treasure-trophy, says the service paper added. "It admits that it is a matter of sentiment, but we know that many members of the Mercantile Marine will share that sentiment."

The V.R.C. Midget NEW YACHT Yacht Club was formally organized

last night. Twenty-

two small yachts—twelve footers—have been contracted for, and are to be delivered at the rate of three a month. It is hoped to have races before the end of the year. The following officials were elected:

Commodore: R. E. Bellios. Vice-commodore: Tom Wright. Treasurer: M. Berg.

Secretary: Messrs. Agassiz, Aves, and Soares.

The idea, which was Mr. Wittell's, is an excellent one, adding still another branch of sport to the V.R.C., and offering an excellent opportunity to the younger members to take up boat-sailing. The Midgets are half-decked, have a centreboard, and a quite respectable sail spread. The subscribing members will "draw" for the boats as they are laid down.

No. After one "flash 'tony" in the pan, which pleased us, the subsequent literary efforts of "Tony" compel us to withdraw our sincerely intended invitation. He is obviously, with a painful obviousness, one of those sedulous literary apes who have to be categorized *infra dictum*. "Rosemary and Rue" (a caption that belongs to a real writer, by the way, named Lucas) between conception, gestation, and partition, seems to require considerably more time than the result warrants—another case of the ridiculous mus.

"Le culte de la OBJECTIVE raison chiaro et libre, la recherche dans toutes les manifestations de la pensée."

This man is in no PRESIDENT-way to blame for the WILSON-great peace defeat,

nor are his political opponents in America solely to blame for the bad start the L.O.N. got.

The I.O.N. was grabbed right away, by Clemenceau and Lloyd George, who both, the one from conviction and the other from opportunism, dubbed the Fourteen Points "pro-German."

The Supreme Council now has more scraps of paper to its discredit than the Germans had, and nothing can be done, other than on fabian lines, in the way of moral progress and sensible civilization until the peace of the world is established.

While as-for individuals, we get very little more out of life, in some ways much less, than our furtive forefathers did. On the whole, where we may feel obliged to admit signs of progress, we may modify the admission by stating that the progress seems to have been in a circle. We have advanced peripherally, but are still as near the fixed leg of the compass as when we started on our round.

sident Wilson obstinately hung to "all or nothing," fearing to lose the Covenant, whereas he should have been glad to lose the "other part." Those who believe in the Fourteen Points (and all honest men do that) will feel that the Covenant, once signed, however often crabb'd, cannot die. Fabian tactics to keep it alive are all that are possible at present. The patient must get worse before it gets better," and then we shall see.

A man writes from ADVICE Canton to the Editor: "Let your adversaria carry on. Tell him to persevere. It is good work to disabuse our people of the crippling delusion that we are 'damnably perfect.' Flawless, I mean to pass the porch of Hades the other day, and hearing louder screams than usual, I enquired the meaning. The imp at the gates told me it was the date for the monthly super-mortuary of the man who originated the saying, 'My country, right or wrong.' Right, my country or another's, is the correct version of the moralist."

To which Adversaria adds: And anyway, Lloyd, George, and W. Churchill are not my country, any more than gall stones are my body.

SYNTHETIC OPIUM?

IS THIS A CONFIDENCE MAN?

QUEER BUSINESS PROPOSITION.

This morning as ever was, into the office of a friend of ours, entered boldly a glib stranger. Swarthy, seemingly "Portuguese or Eurasian," according to our informant, he was a young man in the twenties. He asked permission to unfold a business proposition.

Incidentally he mentioned a few local names of prominence as the names of acquaintances, and said he had just come down from Canton. In Canton he has a friend, a German doctor, who has found out how to make opium from cheap chemicals. The real drug is dear. The demand is always great. Here was fortune to be picked up. Would our friend care to come in on the ground floor?

Our friend wouldn't and didn't, and got rid of him, telephoning us at once. We shall be glad to hear from any other business men upon whom this enterpriser has called. Probably the police will be just as eager to be let on it.

It is obvious that if synthetic opium can be cheaply produced at Canton, (a proposition we do not unquestioningly accept) there are big problems ahead for the Hongkong government, and for others.

We are mean and suspicious enough to guess at a "con-game," however.

LOTTERY TICKETS SEIZED.

ALLEGED GAMING HOUSE.

CASE FROM KOWLOON CITY.

Before Magistrate Hutchinson at the Magistracy this morning, Inspector Fox of Kowloon City, charged three Chinese with the unlawful possession of a large quantity of *papia* lottery tickets, and implements for the printing of same. The first defendant was further charged with keeping a common gaming house.

Mr. Leo Longinotto appeared for the defence and applied for a remand and bail.

The Inspector said that the defendants came to Kowloon City from the country and rented a flat for the alleged purpose of making boots and shoes to be sold at Canton and Macao. Instead, they brought to the flat printing machines, types and other implements, and printed lottery tickets for sale. As the result of information received, the Police yesterday raided the flat and seized the machinery, etc.

The Inspector did not object to a remand but asked that bail be fixed in the sum of \$500 each.

Mr. Longinotto said that while he did not think that \$500 was too much in the case of the first defendant, who was the alleged ringleader, he certainly thought that in the case of the other two defendants, \$500 was too much, in view of the fact that they were only *foks* of the other defendant, and acted as salesmen.

The Magistrate: Salesmen?

Counsel: Distributors I mean. I suggest that \$500 for the first defendant, and \$250 for each of the others would meet the case.

The Magistrate: I accept that.

The case was remanded until August 6.

Before Magistrate Smith, at the

Magistracy this morning, a Chinaman

was charged with the unlawful possession of a large quantity of percussion caps.

He said that he was a runner.

He was employed by a man to

take the trunk containing the cap

to the country. He had no knowl-

edge of the contents. Inspector Moore,

who prosecuted, said that he believed

the defendant's story and would not

press the charge against him.

The Magistrate discharged the defendant and ordered the confiscation of the contraband.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Mrs. A. R. Lowe, accompanied by Miss Lowe, sister of the Hon. A. R. Lowe, returned to the Colony this morning.

Mr. Hugh Jeffries, whose death in Japan we announced yesterday, was a partner of Russell and Co., founders of Shewan Tomes and Co.

The removal of the old Customs House on the Nantao Bund has been definitely decided upon. This and the erection of a new building is expected to take place shortly.

Peking papers report that the Hon. Bertrand Russell, the noted British philosopher, has accepted a chair in the Peking University, and will give lectures from this autumn.

The Mainichi says that the Nippon Yusen Kaisha has decided to dismiss 2,000 employees at the head and branch offices throughout Japan. The figures represent about 20 per cent. of the total number of the company's employees.

Charged before Magistrate Hutchison at the Magistracy this morning with the theft from the Pukun branch of a quantity of branded bags, the property of the Dairy Farm Co., a coolie was sentenced to one month's imprisonment with hard labour.

Tenders are being invited from the public by the Tsing House for the sale of a collection of gold and silver plates and other kinds of utensils, formerly forming a part of the articles of the Imperial Household. Ten prospective buyers have offered prices, the highest bid being \$16,000.

Lieutenants Ferrarin and Masiello, the Italian fliers who successfully completed the Rome-Tokyo flight, will shortly pass through Shanghai on their return to their native land. They expect later, we are informed, to try to fly from Rome to Tokyo, via the Atlantic, America, and the Pacific. They hope their real drug is dear. The machines they will use will be of 2,200 horse-power.

The Japanese Aviation School authorities have decided to produce aeroplanes of a purely Japanese type. Among those already under construction is a machine with the upper plane 10.08 metres long, and the lower plane 10.75 metres long, and the tailplane 10.08 metres long, which will carry an American Hispano 125 H.P. engine. This machine is expected to be completed towards the end of this month. Preparations are also being made for the construction of machines for fighting, pursuing, and reconnoitring purposes.

During his recent stay in Japan, Dr. Wu Ting-fang received many anonymous letters and was the subject of many newspaper attacks suggesting that he should go to America instead of staying in Japan. Dr. Wu's secretary, commenting on these criticisms, states that the veteran statesman went to Japan to recuperate and to enjoy the beautiful landscapes of that country. "When Dr. Wu left Shanghai, he left all connection with governmental matters behind him."

The managing editor of the St. Louis Republic, Sam Hellman, is coming to China and Japan for a trip this fall. He won the expenses for the journey in a bet with a wealthy cigar manufacturer, A. Kennedy, over the prospects of Governor Gardner of Missouri being a Democratic candidate for United States Senator from his estate. Mr. Kennedy said "No" and bet Mr. Hellman a trip to the Far East against whatever the editor was carrying in his pockets at the time. It was \$9.75.

All who are interested in the plantation rubber industry will cordially welcome the honour of Knight Bachelor which has been conferred by his Majesty on Henry Alexander Wickham, Esq., for services in connection with the rubber plantation industry in the Far East.

These services were rendered in 1876, and resulted in Mr. Wickham carrying the coming of Armageddon, the breaking of a terrible storm in which all the forces of evil would be let loose upon the world. "I shall not live to see it, but you will." And presently he added, with a reference to his own "Idols." "I have no doubt he old order will yield place to the new, and we shall yet find higher gods than Mammon and Materialism. But the storm will come; the battle of Modred in the West will yet be fought." This was in 1884.

Disaster has overtaken the two vessels which were being towed to Jia Yu from Shanghai by the ocean-going tug "Friesland," the coastal pilot.

A wireless sent out by the "Friesland" stated that the ship had sought shelter from the typhoon under the lee of Taichu but when the typhoon passed over there the dredger "Shanghai" and the Tug being towed were blown out to sea, and the "Friesland" although having both anchors down and steaming full speed into the teeth of the storm, was dragging her cables. No

further wireless signals have been picked up from her in Shanghai so it may be presumed that the "Friesland" has safely weathered the typhoon and is now searching for her two

charges. Taichu is about 200 miles South of Shanghai. The a.s.s. "Friesland" left Shanghai on July 10, says the Shanghai Gazette.

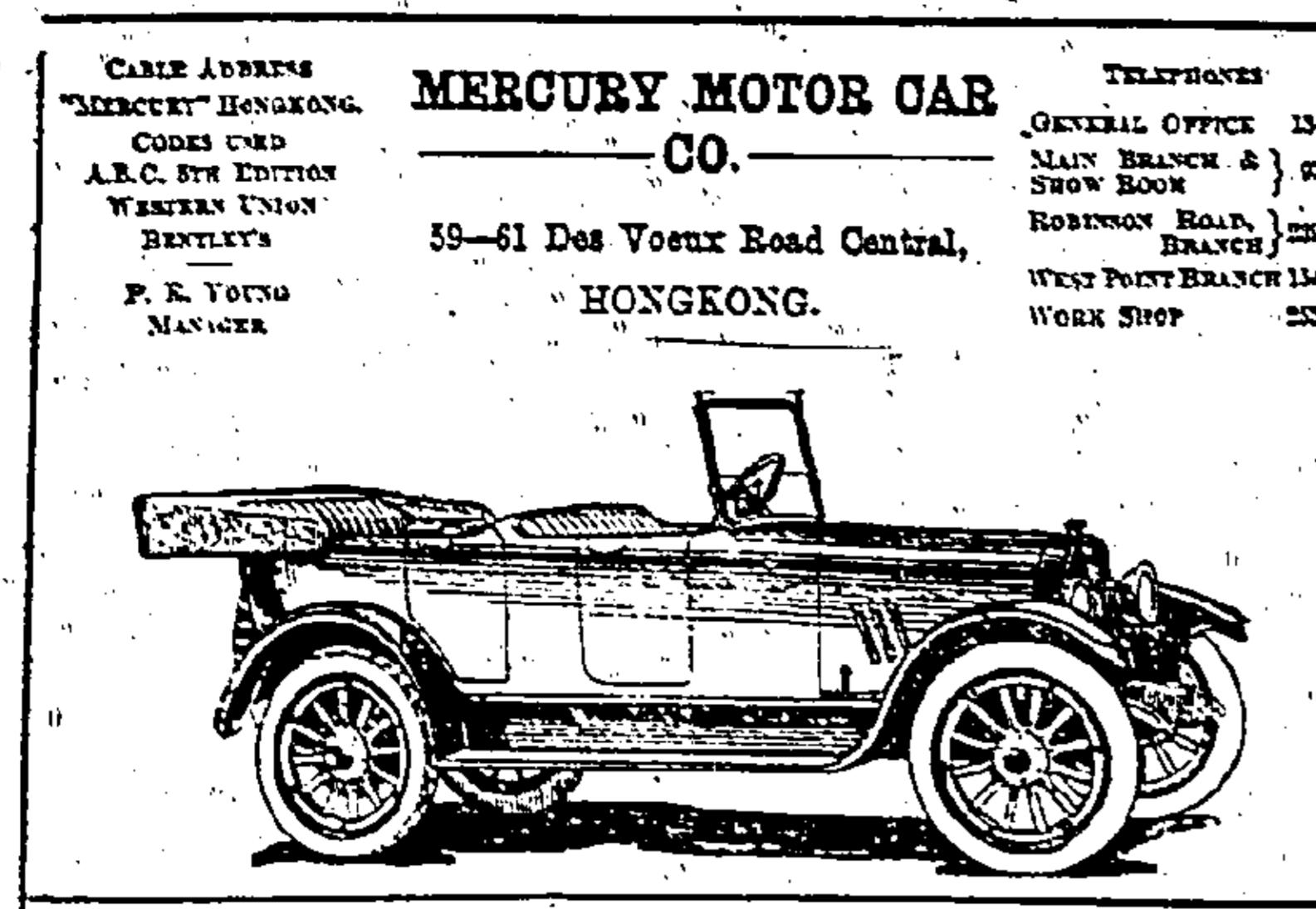
LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Among the official callers at the office of the Canton Civil Governor last Sunday was H.B.M. Consul-General H. Goffe.

War Savings Certificates to the number of 16,207 were sold in the F.M.S. during last year. These certificates, sold at \$15 each, are payable five years from date of issue at \$20.

Nine earthquakes were experienced in Tokyo on July 12 between half-past ten in the morning and noon, but very few persons noticed them as the quakes were slight. An officer of the Central Observatory says that Oshima reported 15 earthquakes that day, and they think that the volcano on that island had probably had several small eruptions but the mists hang about the top, so persistently that they are unable to take any observations.

Four of the best known scientists in Japan left on the "Persia Maru" a week ago to attend the Pan-Pacific Scientific Congress to be held at Honolulu in August. Scientists from all countries bordering on the Pacific will be present, in addition to many from European countries. Japan's representatives are Dr. Omori, seismologist; Dr. Yamazaki



LOSS OF LUEN ON.

JUDGMENT FOR DEFENDANTS.

The marine insurance action arising out of the loss of the Luen On was concluded in the Supreme Court yesterday, Mr. Justice Gompertz, Acting Chief Justice, giving judgment for the defendants.

The Luen On was lost in November 1917, while on a voyage to Manila and Yung Kong, trading as Wat Tze now claimed from the Young Shing Insurance and Investment Co., Ltd., the sum of \$20,000, under a marine policy of insurance for that amount dated November 7, 1917, on the Luen On subscribed by the defendants.

Mr. W. H. Drummond, instructed by Mr. C. E. H. Beavis appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. Eldon Potter and Mr. F. C. Jenkins, instructed by Mr. G. R. Haywood was for the defendants.

The defence was that plaintiff was not interested in the Luen On and that the vessel was not sea-worthy at the commencement of the risk.

The defendants denied that the vessel was insured against perils of the seas. The defendants were liable under the policy only in the event of being sunk during the voyage by running against rocks or reefs, or by typhoon or waves. Defendants denied that the vessel was lost or otherwise than if she had been lost, denied that her loss was caused by any of the perils insured against. It was also contended that the policy did not cover this particular voyage, as defendants liability was determined when the put back into Hongkong after starting on a voyage to Manila.

His Lordship held that plaintiff had failed to discharge the onus cast upon him of proving that the vessel was sunk by one of the perils insured against.

ALLEGED THREATS.

TWO MEN CHARGED.

HEAVY BAIL FINED.

Mr. E. Davidson appeared before Magistrate Hutchison this morning to defend two Chinese charged with demanding money by threats and applied for a remand and bail.

Inspector Willis, who prosecuted, said that seven or eight men, of whom the defendants were two, went to a brother in Yufu Street, West Point, yesterday and demanded \$20 from one of the inmates, threatening to do her harm if the money was not forthcoming. She told them that she did not have any money in the house at the time, and asked them to call later. When they returned that evening, the woman blew a police whistle, and the men took to their heels. A couple of constables gave chase and arrested the two defendants. The Inspector said he had no objection to a remand, but he would have to ask for bail to be fixed in the sum of \$200 each.

Mr. Davidson said that the sum involved was only \$20, and he thought this to demand a bail of \$200 was extraordinary. The Magistrate said that having regard to the locality where the offence was alleged to have been committed, he thought the bail was quite fair. The case would be remanded until Thursday next.

THEATRE ROYAL.

LEYLAND HODGSON CO.

FINAL PERFORMANCE TO-NIGHT.

In the Theatre Royal last night the Leyland Hodgson Company considerably enhanced its reputation by the entertaining manner in which it presented "Rosebud," a comedy in which the individual, no less than the concerted efforts of the company to amuse the audience were highly successful.

The best piece in the Company's repertoire has been reserved for the final performance to-night, when "Persiana," a delightful comedy, with beautiful scenery and brimful of humour, will be presented. But small idea of the excellence of this laughable piece was given in the brief outline of the plot published in yesterday's *China Mail*, as the success of the comedy is greatly enhanced, not only by the laughable contretemps which frequently arise, but also by the merit of individual contributions.

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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reader's Service to the China Mail)

PLEBISCITE DISTRICTS.

WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS DEFERRED.

SAFEGUARDING HELP TO POLAND.

BOULOGNE, July 23.
The Conference confirmed the decision of the Paris Conference of Ambassadors to defer the withdrawal of the British and Italian troops from the plebiscite districts in Eastern Prussia, and also instructed Sir H. Tower, the Allied High Commissioner at Danzig, to prevent Allied help to Poland being jeopardized by political acts like the dockers' strike.

EASTERN PEACE.

WILL THE ALLIES REPEAT THEIR MISTAKE?

GERMAN CHANCELLOR CURIOUS.

BERLIN, July 23.
Herr Simons, in a speech in the Reichstag, emphasised Germany's responsibility in participating in the support of Poland. He added that it would be curious to see whether the Entente would repeat the Versailles mistake of endeavouring to solve the Eastern Europe question without Germany. If so, he believed that eastern peace would be more unstable than the Versailles peace ever could become.

SHOULD AMERICA PARTICIPATE?

LONDON, July 23.
At Boulogne yesterday Mr. Millerand proposed the Polish condition as a *sine qua non de France* for the participation in any peace conference. He also intimated that that was not the only condition. It is understood in official circles that it is possible America should unite with Britain and France in their attitude toward the Soviet. Mr. Lloyd George agreed to the condition with regard to Poland, and the conference ended, the appearance being given that the two Governments are in complete accord.

REICHSTAG APPROVES SPA AGREEMENT.

The Reichstag approved the Spa agreement overwhelmingly.

SOVIET TRADE MISSION.

LONDON, July 27.
The Soviet trade mission, including M. Kamenetz and M. Miliutin, left Moscow on July 26 to join M. Krassin in Stockholm. The mission is expected in London next week.

AMERICAN COAL EXPORT.

WASHINGTON, July 28.
The Inter-State Commerce Commission has temporarily discontinued the export of coal.

CEYLON.

CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES OUTLINED.

POPULAR ELECTION EXTENDED.

SUBSTANTIAL MAJORITY FOR UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS.

LONDON, July 28.
In the House of Commons, replying to Col. J. C. Wedgwood, Colonel Amery outlined the changes in the constitution of Ceylon giving a large measure of popular control over the administration, which Lord Milnes had decided to recommend to the King.

He said that it was proposed to alter the constitution of the Legislative Council by considerably extending the principle of popular election of members and giving unofficial members a substantial majority over the official vote. Excluding the Governor, who would preside, the reformed council would consist of 37 members comprising 14 official and 23 unofficial. Sixteen, and subsequently 19, unofficials would be elected of whom two would represent the Europeans and one the Burghers. In order to prevent deadlock in essential matters, the Governor would be empowered to declare the passing of any measure of paramount importance, whereupon the measure may be carried by the votes of the official members. The Governor would also be empowered to prevent proceedings in Council with regard to any measure affecting the safety and tranquility of Ceylon. Three unofficial members on the Executive Council would be appointed.

FRENCH IN SYRIA.

GENERAL GOURAUD'S CONDITIONS ACCEPTED.

PARIS, July 28.
A message from Beirut states that the French occupied Aleppo on July 23 and entered Damascus on July 25. A New Sherifian government has been formed and has accepted General Gouraud's conditions, including immediate disarmament and the deposition of Emir Feisal, who has been asked to leave the country.

THE FRENCH TERMS.

General Gouraud's conditions include the payment of 10,000,000 francs as reparation for the damage caused by guerrilla warfare, the Syrian army to be reduced and transformed into a police force, war material to be handed over to the French, and the principal guilty ones to be tried by military tribunals.

KING HEDJAZ'S PROTEST.

LONDON, July 28.
King Hedjaz has recalled his representative at the peace conference in Paris owing to French action in Syria against which the King protested to the League of Nations.

COAL REPARATIONS.

BIG PAYMENT IN TREASURY BONDS.

PARIS, July 28.
The Boulogne Conference has decided that the Reparations Commission should be instructed to ensure the execution of the Spa agreement relative to coal. Germany is handing over on September 1 to the Commission treasury bonds to the value of 60,000,000 marks in gold falling due on May 1, 1921 with interest of six per cent. French circles are very satisfied with the results of the conference which was considered to correspond with French wishes.

TURKISH NATIONALIST COMMANDER CAPTURED.

ATHENS, July 28.
It is reported that Jafartay, the Turkish Nationalist commander in Thrace, has been captured.

POLICE SERVANTS THEFT.

\$160 TO BUY MEDICINE FOR DYING FATHER.

Sergeant Moss, of the Water Police, this morning charged a cook boy employed on board Police Launch No. 4, with the theft of \$200, the property of Lance Sergeant, Butcher. The defendant pleaded guilty to stealing \$160.

The Sergeant accepted the plea, and said that at 3.30 p.m. on Wednesday, when Lance Sergeant Butcher went to his cabin to change in order to go ashore, he found his hat box broken open and the \$200 missing. When he asked the defendant if he knew anything about it he denied all knowledge of it. Yesterday, as the result of certain information received, a constable was sent to a house in Samshuipo, and there a friend of the defendant's handed \$160 to the constable with an intimation that the defendant had given it to him to keep. The Sergeant said that the money had passed the hands of no fewer than three persons before it was recovered.

Replying to the Magistrate, the Sergeant said that the defendant, who had been employed as cook boy by various police officers for the last six years, had hitherto borne a good character.

Asked why he stole the money, the defendant said that his father was very ill in the country and on the verge of death. He took the money to buy medicine.

The Magistrate passed sentence of six weeks' hard labour.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Hongkong, July 30, 1920.

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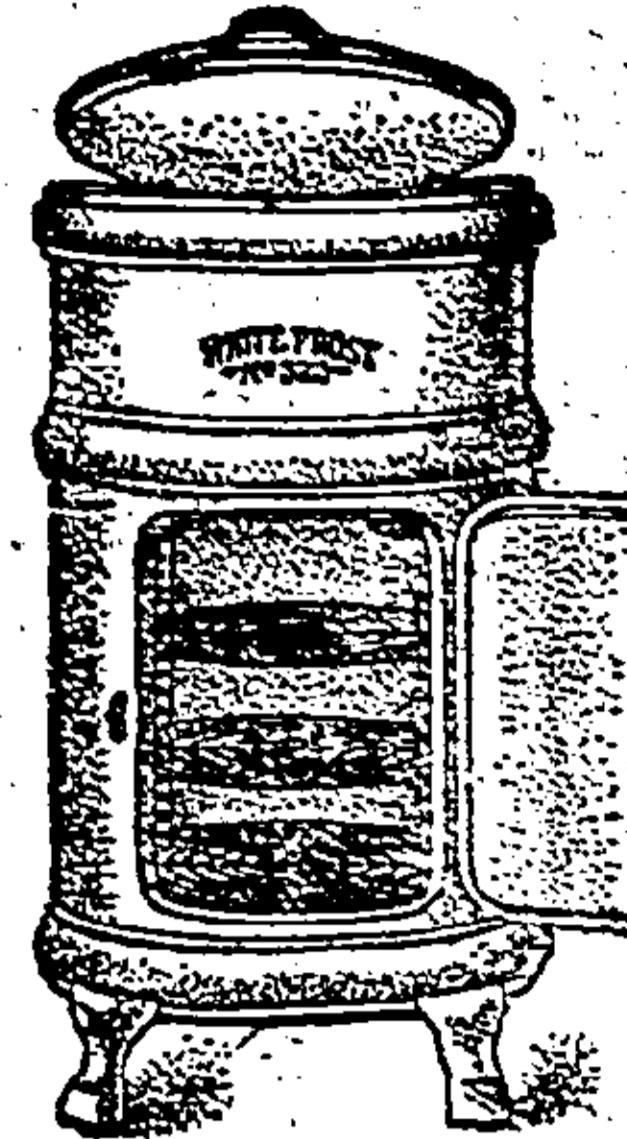
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S. S.	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"TORILLA"	6,300	3rd July	Straits, Rangoon and Calcutta.
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S. S.	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"EASTERN"	3,600	18th Aug.	Sandakan, Thursday Island, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne.
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S. S.	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
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CALCUTTA & RANGOON via Singapore & Penang.

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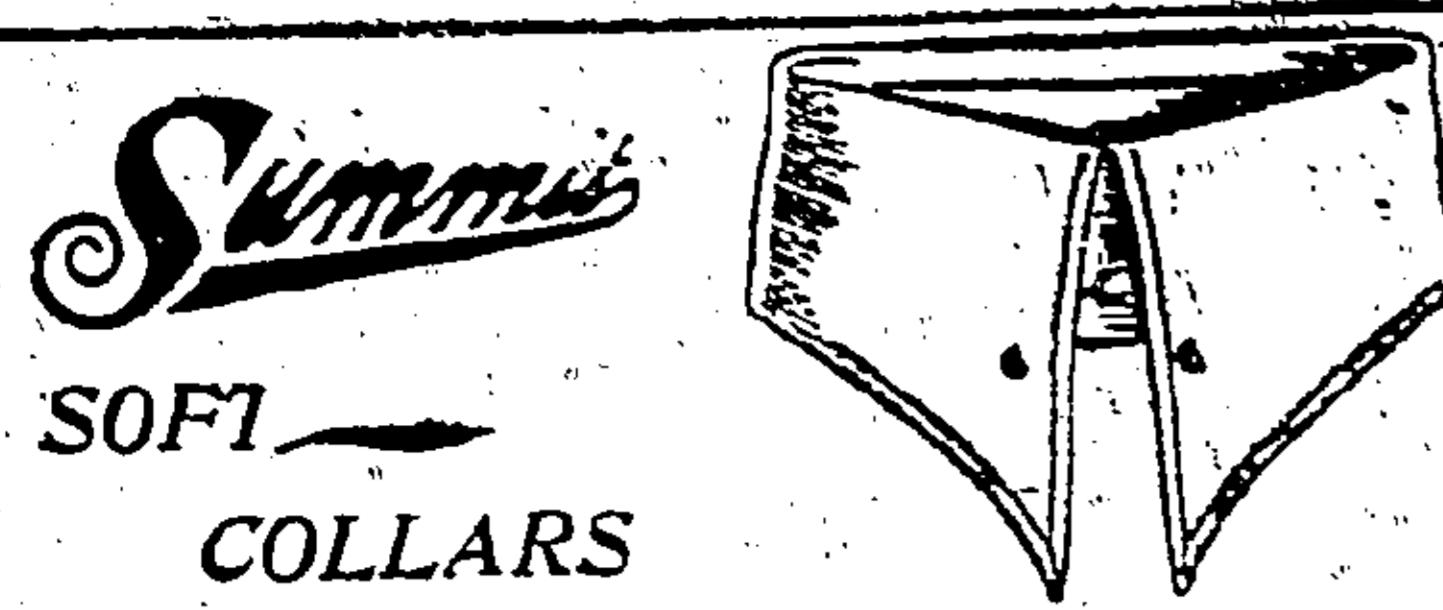
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During the war it was rather the fashion to scoff at Norman Angell whose book, "The Great Illusion" was supposed by the ill-informed to have declared impossible, whereas, of course, it did nothing of the sort. Of the author's sincerity nobody ever doubted. The present writer [Mr. Welham, editor of the *Straits Echo*] who owes to him his introduction to journalism, has yet to meet a more disinterested figure in politics or a nobler character in private life than his first editor. Now, after five and a half years in the wilderness, Norman Angell has come back, bringing a message. It is simply the message that what he taught before the war was the truth then and is the truth now. Just ten years ago Mr. Angell was preparing for the press "The Great Illusion." When the book appeared a few months later, it provoked one of the great controversies of this generation. Norman Angell became a cult—the cult not of the impossibility, but of the foolishness of war. Many people sneered at it; yet the doctrine of "The Great Illusion" was still gaining converts steadily when the Great War broke over the world, submerging Norman Angellism, in common with many other landmarks of civilization.

To-day Norman Angell, whether he likes it or not, is a prophet whose prophecies have come true. Behind him, as he sits writing in his flat in the Temple, are copies of "The Great Illusion," printed in twenty languages; on the table in front of him newspapers from all parts of the world telling how the British pound is only worth 15s. in New York, how the French franc is worth less than after the great defeat of 1871, how the German mark can be bought for a halfpenny, how the whole of European civilization is trembling on the brink of economic collapse. The book and the newspapers are really one story. They show how, as Norman Angell stated again and again, great European war, far from being impossible, was likely to occur, owing to the ignorance of mankind, but how it was indeed a great illusion to imagine that one nation could by war under modern conditions enrich itself at the expense of another. The state of the exchanges is merely an index to this failure.

We are now in a position, Norman Angell points out, to put the theories of "The Great Illusion" to the test of facts. We have been victorious in war. We have captured colonies, provinces, iron and coal mines. Our victory is so complete that our enemy can in no way resist any claims we may care to make in the matter of an indemnity. And our enemy was one of the greatest and richest nations in the world. If ever a victor was in a position to enrich himself by victory it should be now. Well the Allies are not precisely rolling in riches. "We are victors—and mainly bankrupt." When we try to discount the indemnity with those who have the cash, as in America, we find that the bankers of that country regard the security as worthless. Why? Because that security could only have value. Germany could only pay great sums, if she were allowed to re-establish her industry and trade, and become once more a "competitor." That some of us—notably perhaps France—will not allow. We will boycott her goods, forbid her to re-establish her foreign trade. So long as that is the case, there will be no adequate indemnity. It is the precise dilemma foisted in "The Great Illusion."

Norman Angell's conversation is necessarily sprinkled with phrases drawn from his famous book. It was there he stated ten years ago that "one of the indispensable foundations of wealth in modern Europe was a stable international credit." It was there he pointed out that the power to "take" the wealth of our enemy after a victorious war would not help us, for the fact of taking the wealth would destroy it. And now he asks: "What is the lesson the world has still to learn? It is this: We cannot base our national, political, and military security upon a policy which involves the destruction of the economic life of 100,000,000 people, for that economic life is essential to our own restoration, credit, and future prosperity. Political and military security must be based upon the truths embodied in the words interdependence and co-operation. If we make these truths

DEAN'S EPIGRAMS.
WARNING OF INSTITUTIONAL RELIGION.

Dean Inge, in a lecture at Sion College on June 7, rattled off epigrams for an hour, wherein some modern errors received a brilliant castigation.

"The saints and prophets of old did not know much about astrology," said Dr. Inge, "but they knew more about the Creator than we do. Men are known by their fruits, not by their roots.

"Of course," he proceeded, "we must not become too introspective; this is a danger for bookmen."

"The bookworm is no judge of practical life. We must apply our knowledge, and learn to think. Only a barbarian says 'I believe this because I was told so.' If people feel doubt, they should pull the skeleton out of the cupboard and have a good look at it."

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"One of today's problems is to discover whether a thing is wrong because it is forbidden, or whether it is forbidden because it is wrong."

"People are fond of evolution. It is fashionable to evolve. Unfortunately the meaning of evolution is 'unrolling' from something already existent. Progress is essential, but there must be something from which to progress. The Church is therefore entitled to talk about evolution. Indeed it is obliged to change and grow to meet new conditions."

"The history of institutional religion should warn us. It is one of decline, not progress. Institutions which were founded to protect the Faith have now that one hears" adds the same paper "of the foundation stone of the Capitol building being laid by the Prince of Wales. This is undoubtedly a better method of creating a capital than to hastily improvise a pair of tombstones, lay them in the sand without troubling as to what purpose they are going to serve there, and then unceremoniously whisk the capital off to a site several miles away. To select a site and wait ten years before proceeding to begin the Capitol gives the foundations, as it were, a little time to settle, and lessens the chances of their being disturbed at a later season. Another argument in favour of the Canberra is that the site was doubtless elected in the open. The entire Commonwealth, or its representatives, knew that this pleasant village—it's population four years ago was a little more than 2,000—had been chosen for the honour of furnishing the site of the Australian capital, and no one could possibly accuse the authorities of having acted in a hale-and-corner manner. All things considered, there can be little question that the Australian method of laying out a new capital is to be preferred to the Indian one."

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PROJECTED DEPARTURES.

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AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

Aug. 6.-C. & A. S.S. Victoria.
8.-A. O. Taiyuan.
18.-N. Y. K. Afk Maru.
18.-P. & O. Eastern.
Sept. 1.-C. & A. S.S. Hwang Ping.
22.-N. Y. K. Tungo.
22.-P. & O. Kanawa.
25.-O. S. K. Kunisaki Maru.

JAPAN PORTS.

July 31.-L. T. (D. & Co.) Inaburuk.
31.-N. Y. K. Shinga Maru.
Aug. 2.-N. Y. K. (D. & Co.) Borneo M.
3.-M. M. Andre Lebon.
3.-P. & O. Japan.
4.-P. & O. Kanawa.
9.-P. & C. Plassey.
9.-B. F. Theseus.
9.-N. Y. K. Nagato Maru.
11.-J. C. J. L. Tjiloeel.
15.-M. M. Paul Leest.
17.-P. & O. Khiva.
19.-B. F. Lyacon.
21.-N. Y. K. Tango Maru.
26.-P. & O. Madura.
31.-L. T. (D. & Co.) Hungaria.
Sept. 1.-M. M. Euryalus.
4.-M. M. Andamatiche.
5.-P. & O. Nanin.
Oct. 8.-B. F. Teucer.

AMERICAN PORTS.

VANCOUVER.
Aug. 12.-C. P. O. S. Montague.
12.-W. L. West Ivan.
13.-A. L. City of Spokane.
21.-O. S. E. Africa Maru.
25.-W. L. Delight.
28.-C. P. O. S. Empress of Russia.
Sept. 14.-C. P. O. S. Empress of Japan.
17.-D. L. M. Manila Dollar.
33.-C. P. O. S. Empress of Asia.
Oct. 9.-C. P. O. S. Harid Dollar.
21.-C. P. O. S. Empress of Russia.
22.-C. P. O. S. Montague.

VICTORIA.

Aug. 12.-W. L. West Ivan.
15.-N. Y. K. Toyohashi Maru.
16.-N. Y. K. Kashima Maru.
19.-A. L. City of Spokane.
21.-O. S. K. Africa Maru.
22.-W. L. Delight.
26.-D. F. Tallybius.
Sept. 11.-N. Y. K. Fusihini Maru.
Oct. 6.-B. F. Tyndareus.
24.-B. F. Tallybius.
Dec. 20.-B. F. Tyndareus.

SEATTLE.

Aug. 7.-S. & D. West Ivia.
10.-A. L. Elton.
12.-W. L. West Ivan.
15.-N. Y. K. Toyohashi Maru.
16.-B. F. Ixion.
16.-N. Y. K. Kashima Maru.
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TACOMA.

Aug. 12.-W. L. West Ivan.
13.-A. L. City of Spokane.
21.-O. S. K. Africa Maru.
22.-W. L. Delight.

PORTLAND.

Aug. 24.-A. L. Coaxet.
SAN FRANCISCO.
July 31.-I. P. L. Tijeroen.
Ang. 6.-A. L. Elton.
10.-D. L. West Adron.
11.-P. M. S. Nanking.
12.-C. M. S. Nile.
30.-I. P. L. Arakan.
Sept. 6.-T. K. K. Shinyo Maru.
12.-C. M. S. China.
17.-T. K. K. Poole Maru.
20.-T. K. K. Korea Maru.
Oct. 8.-P. M. S. Colombia.

LOS ANGELES.

Aug. 3.-L. A. P. N. West Montop.
25.-L. A. P. N. West Hikton.
Sept. 15.-L. A. P. N. Vintra.
Oct. 10.-L. A. P. N. West Hikton.

VALPARAISO.

VIA JAPAN, HONGKONG, SAN FRANCISCO,
SAN PEDRO, S. LIMA, CHICAGO, BALTIMORE,
CALLAO, AMERICA & IRELAND.

Sept. 9.-T. K. K. Anjo Maru.
Nov. 9.-T. K. K. Seivo Maru.
(VIA THE CAPE).

Aug. 2.-N. Y. K. Penang Maru.
13.-O. S. K. Mexico Maru.

NEW YORK.

(VIA PANAMA)

July 31.-D. & Co. Lowther Castle.
Aug. 8.-D. L. Green Dollar.
12.-B. F. Pak Ling.
15.-A. L. Facon.
Sept. 9.-O. S. K. Honolulu Maru.
12.-D. & Co. Egremont Castle.
15.-A. L. Cape May.

(VIA SUZ)

Aug. 1.-B. L. City of Gran.
6.-B. F. Pak Ling.
26.-N. Y. K. Akita Maru.
27.-B. L. Birmingham City.
Sept. 6.-B. L. Ningchow.
20.-B. L. City of Dunkirk.
Oct. 1.-B. F. Ajax.

BOSTON.

July 31.-B. L. City of Oran.
Aug. 27.-B. L. Birmingham City.
Sept. 20.-B. L. City of Dunkirk.

"WALLA-WALLA" double-cross
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SANTOS AND MAURITIUS).

Sept. 9.-O. S. K. Chicago Maru

EUROPEAN PORTS.

BRINDISI, VENICE, & TRIESTE.
Aug. 8.-I. T. (D. & Co.) Pilsa.
Sept. 8.-I. T. (D. & Co.) Innsbruck.
Oct. 3.-I. T. (D. & Co.) Hungaria.

GENOA.

Aug. 12.-J. M. Glentara.
20.-B. F. Belcherphon.
Sept. 11.-R. F. Cyclops.
Oct. 3.-B. F. Euryalyes.
19.-B. F. Tuna.
Nov. 16.-F. B. Teucer.

MARSEILLES.

Aug. 12.-P. & O. Lahore.
17.-M. M. Amazon.
18.-P. & O. Kalyan.
26.-P. & O. Phasis.
Sept. 7.-O. S. K. Alps Maru.
7.-I. & O. Jeypore.
11.-B. F. Cyclops.
14.-P. & O. Khyva.
Oct. 5.-P. & O. Euryalus.
6.-P. & O. Nankin.
19.-B. F. Titan.
Nov. 2.-B. F. Pelus.
16.-B. F. Teucer.

LONDON.

Aug. 2.-J. M. Glenyle.
10.-N. Y. K. Atbara Maru.
12.-J. M. Glenara.
12.-P. & O. Lahore.
17.-B. F. Prometheus.
17.-R. F. Canfa.
18.-I. & O. Kalyan.
22.-J. M. Glenamoy.
26.-P. & O. Phasis.
31.-B. F. Protosilas.
Sept. 6.-J. M. Alpa Maru.
7.-O. S. K. Alpa Maru.
7.-P. & O. Jeypore.
9.-R. F. Achilles.
10.-E. L. Khyva.
14.-P. & O. Swazi.
20.-B. F. Mentor.
21.-B. F. Manta.
22.-B. F. Alpa Maru.
23.-O. S. K. Narkin.
24.-B. F. Idomenes.
26.-B. F. Terentes.

HAVRE.

Aug. 7.-B. F. Prometheus.
10.-P. & O. Kalyan.
17.-B. F. Canfa.
16.-N. Y. K. Kashima Maru.
Sept. 7.-O. S. K. Alpa Maru.
14.-B. F. Achilles.
15.-B. F. Easterling.
21.-B. F. Mentor.
Nov. 2.-B. F. Peleus.

LIVERPOOL.

Aug. 14.-B. F. Alcinous.
20.-B. F. Belcherphon.
20.-N. Y. K. Kanagawa Maru.
Sept. 7.-B. F. Rhemes.
11.-B. F. Cyclops.
Oct. 5.-B. F. Euryalus.
19.-B. F. Titan.
Nov. 2.-B. F. Peleus.

ANTWERP.

Aug. 10.-N. Y. K. Atbara Maru.
12.-J. M. Glenara.
15.-A. L. West Campgaw.
17.-B. F. Canfa.
31.-B. F. Protosilas.
Sept. 7.-O. S. K. Alpa Maru.
7.-O. S. K. Alpa Maru.
8.-R. F. Achilles.
15.-A. L. Easterling.
21.-B. F. Mentor.
Oct. 20.-B. F. Teucer.

ROTTERDAM.

Aug. 15.-A. L. West Campgaw.
17.-B. F. Canfa.
Sept. 15.-A. L. Glenarmy.
Oct. 25.-B. F. Teucer.

EXCHANGE.

Hongkong, July 20, 1920.

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" On demand 4/-
" 30 days sight 4/-
" 4 month's sight 4/-
Credits, 4 months' sight 4/-
On Paris 4/-
On demand 4/-
Credits, 4 months' sight 10/30
On New York 10/30
On demand 10/30
Credits, 60 days' sight 77/8
On Bombay 77/8
Wire 1/-
On demand 1/-
On Calcutta 1/-
On Singapore 1/-
On Manila 173
On Shanghai 173
On demand 173
On demand 173
On Yokohama 173
On London 173
On demand 173
30 days sight (private paper) 173

On Gold Leaf, 10/- fine (per tael) 147/-
Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) \$1.90 n.
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" 10 1/10 2/2
" 10 1/10 2/2
Chinese coins 9/2 2/2
Gold Silver in Hongkong 12/2 pm n.
Chinese Copper coins 4/- pm
Chinese 10-cent coins 7/- pm
Refugee 20-cent coins 7/- pm
Chinese Sub-Coin 8/- pm
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Hongkong Banks, \$830 s.
MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE.
Canton Ins. 1390 n.
North China Ins. 160 b.
Union Ins. 180 n.
Yangtze Ins. 825 n.
Far Eastern 737 n.
Fire Insurance.
China Fire Ins. 123 n.
Hongkong Fire Ins. 136 n.
Shanghai Fire Ins. 150 b.
Dongshas 160 b. 83 a.
H.K. Steamboats 124 b.
Indo-China (Prof.) 118 b.
Do. (Def.) 820 n.
Shell Transport 130 b.
Star Ferries 127 n.
BANKERS. China Super 229 b. 230 n.
Malabon Sugar 156 n.
Mines.
Kalian Mining Adm. 92 b.
Langkata 130 n.
Shanghai Loans 151 b.
SIAL Explorations 40 b.
Rands. 130 n.
Tronoh Mines 40 b.
Ural Ossipiano 276 n.
DOCKS, WHARFS, &c.
H. & K. Wharfs 184 b.
H. & W. Docks 148 b. 149 n.
Shai Docks 142 b. 149 n.
New Engineering 129 n.
Central Estates 163 b. x d.
Hongkong Hotels 129 b. x d.
Hongkong Lands 102 b. x d.
Humphreys 83 b.
Kowloon Lands 130 n.
Land Reclamation 140 n.
West Points 350 b. x d.
COTTON MILLS.
Ewo Cottons 1560 n.
Kung Yik 152 n.
Lao Kong Mows 152 n.
Orientals 152 n.
Shanghai Cottons 270 n.
Yangtzeopco 138 n.

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NOTICE.

PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS.

7.00 a.m. to 8.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes

8.00 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Every 10 minutes

9.30 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes

10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Every 30 minutes

12.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. Every 30 minutes

2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. Every 30 minutes

4.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes

5.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes

8.00 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. Every 15 minutes

9.30 p.m. to 10.00 p.m. Every 30 minutes

10.30 p.m. to 11.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes

SATURDAY.

EXTRA CAR - 11.00 midnight.

SUNDAY.

FRIDAY JULY 30, 1920.

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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reader's Service to the China Mail.)

PERSIAN O. L.

LONDON, July 28.

A message from Teheran says that the Americans have offered the Persian Government a large loan. The British financial adviser was requested to absent himself. It is believed that the Anglo-Persian oil agreement has been temporarily shelved.

MANNIX NOT TO LAND IN IRELAND.

LONDON, July 28.

It is officially announced that Archbishop Mannix will not be allowed to land in Ireland.

TURKISH GARRISON ENTERS BULGARIA.

LONDON, July 28.

Reuter learns that a large proportion of the Turkish garrison of Adrianople entered Bulgaria where it was disarmed and interned.

SPECIAL CABLE

PLAQUE OF RATS.

ALL POSSIBLE MEASURES TAKEN.

[China Mail SPECIAL]

SINGAPORE, July 30.
A plague of rats was found in several godowns at Tanjong Priok, Java. All possible measures have been taken.

TYphoon SIGNAL HOISTED.

GALE EXPECTED HERE.

The No. 1 Red typhoon signal was hoisted from the Observatory soon after 9.30 this morning. Soon after noon, it was substituted for the No. 4 Black signal which signifies that an East (N.E. to S.E.) gale is expected here.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Indian constable No. B394 was this morning charged before Magistrate Smith with unlawfully receiving a bribe of \$2 from a hawker. Mr. Leo Longinotto appeared for the defence and asked for a remand and bail. The case was remanded for a week, bail being fixed in the sum of \$200.

According to letters received from England the new Bishop of Hongkong was to be consecrated on June 24 at St. Paul's Cathedral. On the afternoon of that day he was going to hold a meeting at the Missionary Society's House to form a Victoria Hongkong Diocesan Association.

After the luncheon hour yesterday, when a number of people had gone away wondering what had happened to the Victoria Cafe, and after our reporter had been to verify their complaints, someone put up a notice to the effect that the premises were being repaired. So perhaps the commuters may yet get the meals they have paid for.

In consequence of the resignation of Mr. Vanstone, the office of Vicar of St. John's Cathedral became vacant. The Church Body decided to mark their appreciation of the way in which Mr. Vanstone had discharged his duties during the seventeen years he has held the office by voting to him a sum of \$500 as a parting gift. Mr. Everett has been appointed to the office of Vicar and entered on his duties on July 15th. Church Notes.

CARLTON HOTEL

July 27.

Mrs. Allison & child Mr. & Mrs. Huddleson
Mr. W. Bahr ton and family
Mr. E. Beavenstock Mrs. L. Johnson
Mr. C. Botley Miss Keeley
Mr. S. Boundiff Mr. P. Keegh
Mr. E. Boundiff Mr. D. Kerr
Miss J. Boundiff Miss Kinsey
Mr. J. M. Powen Mr. & Mrs. Leonards
Mr. F. E. Cameron Mr. & Mrs. Levesey
Dr. and Mrs. Clapp Mr. K. Lozan
and family Mr. D. M. Macmillan
Mr. & Mrs. Clarke Mr. & Mrs. Maywhite
Miss Colson Mr. & Mrs. McCullum
Mr. H. C. Colvin Mr. & Mrs. Mc-
Donald and Mrs. Dame Mr. and Mrs. Mc-
Donald
Mr. E. Davis Interob
Mr. & Mrs. Deniston Mr. J. G. Melling
Mr. L. D. Dunnington Mr. J. Nilda
Miss K. Desmond Mr. A. Peterson
Mr. B. Emmanuel Mr. O. A. Reinking
Mr. E. Evans Mr. M. Elst
Mr. & Mrs. Favis Mr. C. J. Rockledge
Miss V. Field Mr. & Mrs. Schueler
Mr. L. Gilson Mr. A. Souza
Mr. and Mrs. Gordonson
Mrs. M. Gregory Mr. & Mrs. Spiers
Miss L. Grey Mr. & Mrs. Standish
Miss F. Harrington Miss Swanson
Mr. L. Hodgeson Mr. G. Vernon
Mr. Holloman Mr. A. Winan
Mr. Holloway Mr. A. Winan
Mr. A. Van Horn

Notifications by Home newspapers of increase of price are still being made, the total for the year now being 40%. Among the 16 which increased their price in the week ended June 19, are the *Smart Set* (now 1s. 6d.) and the *Times Literary Supplement* (now 6d.).

Sentence of one month's hard labour was passed.

NOTICES.

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MURDER WILL OUT.

MAN ARRESTED IN TOKYO AFTER TEN YEARS.

The murderer of Otsuya has been arrested after a search for him of ten years. This case was known as the "Otsuya goroshi," or the murder of a woman named Otsuya, and was the talk of the town, for a number of years. The murderer was committed in what was then a lonely open space, known as Mitsubishi-Hara, now occupied by the big Mitsubishi buildings and the Tokyo Station.

The murderer is Otomatsu Watabe, an old actor, who has a police record of five burglaries to his name. He was recently arrested after he had entered a geisha house with the intention of robbing. This time he was identified by a finger print as the perpetrator of the crime of ten years ago. When accused of this crime, he made a full confession, *Japan Advertiser*.

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ENTERTAINMENTS.

TEL. NO. CORONET TEL. NO. 1743.

TO-NIGHT, at 5.15 & 9.15 p.m.

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VESSELS DUE.

FROM SHANGHAI.

POST OFFICE.

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